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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: STEINER, Mitchell S. et al. Examiner: K. Kerr

Serial No.: 09/449,817 Group Art Unit: 1652

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Title: ISOLATED NUCELIC ACID ENCODING P-HYDE PROTEIN AND
METHODS OF INDUCING SUSCEPTIBILITY TO INDUCTION OF CELL
DEATH IN CANCER

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO COMMUNICATION DATED JULY 5, 2001

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Communication dated July 5, 2001 issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application. A response to the July 5, 2001 Communication was due August 5, 2001. Applicants are concurrently filing herewith a Petition for a One Month Extension of Time including the required fee. Therefore, this response is due September 5, 2001. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Kindly amend the above identified Application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please add the Sequence Listing attached hereto as Appendix 1 to the end of the specification.